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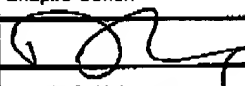
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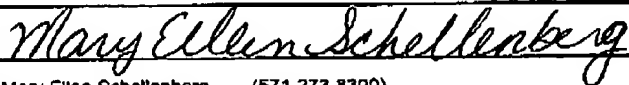
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This paper is in response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2005. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the Application and entry of the Amendment stating as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.